Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, There was founded at the University of South Dakota in 1883 a museum that was, in the eyes of its creators, a "cabinet of natural history"; and,

WHEREAS, That outstanding museum was in 1949 named the W. H. Over Museum to honor a brilliant scientist, scholar, author, and pioneer in the field of natural history; and,

WHEREAS, As the W. H. Over Museum begins its second century of service to South Dakota, it exists as both a window to the past and a door to the future for the hundreds of thousands of people who visit its exhibits and share in its outreach programs; and,

WHEREAS, The W. H. Over Museum enjoys strong and loyal support from the campus community, the city of Vermillion, the Friends of the W. H. Over organization, and its proponents across South Dakota and the United States; and,

WHEREAS, There is now undertaken a million-dollar fundraising campaign for the W. H. Over Museum so that the museum may have an impressive new home on the University campus where its multitude of historical items can at long last be adequately displayed and appreciated; and,

WHEREAS, I have offered to the supporters and benefactors of the W. H. Over Museum a grant that will match their contributions dollar for dollar up to a quarter of a million dollars, ensuring to all contributors large and small that each dollar and penny they give will count as two:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereb, proclaim the week of April 29 to May 5, 1984, as

W. H. OVER MUSEUM FUNDRAISING WEEK

in South Dakota, and I urge all others who love this grand museum to join with me in helping to make its second century as great as its first.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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